

Additional Resources

For Students

To supplement the Math and Social Studies themes that arise when teaching the census, here are some additional Scholastic books* you may wish to use:

Math:

Ten Black Dots by *Donald Crews* (Grades K-1). Children count to ten with simple rhymes and brightly colored objects.

How Much is a Million? by *David M. Schwartz* (Grades 2-3). A magician introduces the world of large numbers.

Great Graphing: More Than 60 Activities for Collecting, Displaying, and Using Data by *Martin Lee and Marcia Miller* (Grades 1-4). Full of high-interest, hands-on projects and activities that are geared toward NCTM standards.

Social Studies:

Success With Maps, a Scholastic Skills Book (Grades 1-6). Loaded with full-color illustrations, this series helps students apply geography concepts introduced in standard Social Studies curriculum for each grade.

The 50 Great States: A Hands-On Learning Game and Thematic Unit by *Liza Schafer* (Grades 3-6). This informative game takes students on a “field trip” all around the 50 states.

**All of these books can be ordered by calling 1-800-Scholastic.*

For You

Statistical Abstract of the United States by the *U.S. Census Bureau* (National Technical Information Service, 1998). If one book can sum us up as a nation, it's this hefty one! Order it by calling 1-800-553-6847; or over the Internet (www.census.gov/stat_abstract).



www.census.gov

U.S. Census Bureau Web site

The source for information on people, business, and geography, this site offers census news, maps, tools to build your own data tables, and much more.

Visit the Census Bureau Web site to access information about Census 2000, including the Census 2000 questionnaire and all three Census 2000 Teaching Guides (K-4, 5-8, and 9-12).

Total State Population**

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| Alabama | 4,040,600 |
| Alaska | 550,000 |
| Arizona | 3,665,200 |
| Arkansas | 2,350,700 |
| California | 29,760,000 |
| Colorado | 3,294,400 |
| Connecticut | 3,287,100 |
| Delaware | 666,200 |
| District of Columbia | 606,900 |
| Florida | 12,937,900 |
| Georgia | 6,478,200 |
| Hawaii | 1,108,200 |
| Idaho | 1,008,700 |
| Illinois | 11,430,800 |
| Indiana | 5,544,200 |
| Iowa | 2,776,800 |
| Kansas | 2,477,600 |
| Kentucky | 3,685,300 |
| Louisiana | 4,220,000 |
| Maine | 1,227,900 |
| Maryland | 4,781,500 |
| Massachusetts | 6,016,400 |
| Michigan | 9,295,300 |
| Minnesota | 4,375,100 |
| Mississippi | 2,573,200 |
| Missouri | 5,117,100 |
| Montana | 799,100 |
| Nebraska | 1,578,400 |
| Nevada | 1,201,800 |
| New Hampshire | 1,109,300 |
| New Jersey | 7,730,200 |
| New Mexico | 1,515,100 |
| New York | 17,990,500 |
| North Carolina | 6,628,600 |
| North Dakota | 638,800 |
| Ohio | 10,847,100 |
| Oklahoma | 3,145,600 |
| Oregon | 2,842,300 |
| Pennsylvania | 11,881,600 |
| Rhode Island | 1,003,500 |
| South Carolina | 3,486,700 |
| South Dakota | 696,000 |
| Tennessee | 4,877,200 |
| Texas | 16,986,500 |
| Utah | 1,722,900 |
| Vermont | 562,800 |
| Virginia | 6,187,400 |
| Washington | 4,866,700 |
| West Virginia | 1,793,500 |
| Wisconsin | 4,891,800 |
| Wyoming | 453,600 |

**Based on 1990 Census data